CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY

SUMMER PROGRAMME IN FRENCH CONVERSATION, LOYOLA CAMPUS

The Loyola Campus covers 50 acres of tree-shaded lawns, picturesque buildings and playing fields just minutes from the heart of Montréal - the second largest French speaking city in the world.

For six weeks, you will learn French in the relaxed atmosphere of the campus, using its libraries, gymnasia, seminar rooms and other facilities.

THE PROGRAMME

You will speak French exclusively for the duration of the program. Activities include five hours of formal instruction each weekday in class and in the laboratory, under the guidance of two professors for each group. In addition, there will be numerous outings in small groups guided by professors and monitors, and weekends in the surrounding countryside or at Lacolle, Loyola's "country mini-campus" in a rural setting.

COURSE OUTLINE

The emphasis will be on spoken French and the study of French and Quebec civilization through involvement in the Québec French-speaking milieu.

Students will be placed at their proper level by means of a placement interview at the beginning of the program. Each one will be expected to participate actively in classes and activities. The equivalent of twelve(12) semester hours of undergraduate credits may be granted upon successful completion of the course and final examinations.

METHODS

The time allotted to each activity will vary according to the level of proficiency of each group, but each course will include the practice of correct pronunciation, a review of language structure, and the building of vocabulary. This, again accoring to the level of the students, will be done by means of systematic exercises, in class and in the laboratory, dialogues in situation, conversation and discussion based on texts, articles, films, television programmes and extramural activities. Students will be encouraged to undertake individual and group projects, such as slide presentation, songfest, a playlet, etc., under the guidance of their instructors.

FRENCH 244-226
ELEMENTARY ORAL FRENCH

A lecture and a laboratory course using the most up-to-date audio-visual methods. This course is especially designed for students who have very little knowledge of French and feel that a very basic revision would be profitable.

FRENCH 234-236 and 244-246
COURS INTERMEDIAIRES

These courses are designed for students who understand simple French, but lack conversational fluency. Their purpose is to teach participants to develop a correct and confident form of expression. Each course will, however, be taught at a level of difficulty corresponding to the students' ability at the start.

FRENCH 334-336
COURS AVANCÉ I

Pour les étudiants qui ont déjà une bonne connaissance du français, mais désirent parfaire leur expression orale et écrite et leur connaissance du milieu québécois. Ce cours peut s'adapter aux besoins de ceux qui veulent pratiquer leur métier ou profession en français.

FRENCH 344-346
COURS AVANCÉ II

Tour d'horizon sur les problèmes du français écrit qui n'exclut pourtant pas la pratique orale. Les exercices porteront avant tout sur la syntaxe et le style. Rédactions et compositions écrites, lecture et analyse de textes portant sur des sujets variés, discussion de thèmes littéraires artistiques et d'actualité.

Dates: July 3—August 10, 1979
Class schedule:
9:00 A.M. to 12 noon
1:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M.

Tuition fee: $300. (Canadian, payable at registration), including tuition and other charges for social and cultural activities on campus. This fee excludes external activities.

Accommodation: On campus $210 for 6 weeks (room only). Enquiries should be directed to the Events Co-ordinator, Loyola of Montréal, 7141 Sherbrooke St. West, Montréal, P.Q. H4B 1R6.

Meals: Available à la carte at reasonable prices in the cafeteria.

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